

Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/555,273	MATSUMOTO ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	REGINALD A. RENWICK	3714	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) REGINALD A. RENWICK. (3) Kip Working.
 (2) Ronald Laneau. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 31 January 2008.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-3.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

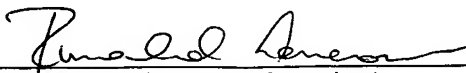
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.


 Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The interview conducted between the examiner, primary examiner, and applicant's representatives discussed the rejection of claim 3 and no agreement was reached. The applicant's representatives showed that the prior art appears to not meet the limitations of claim 1 which now incorporates claim 3. However, the examiner needs to further review the substance of claim 1 as well as conduct a further search in order to fully determine whether the amended limitations of claim 1 is still met by the prior art. .

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